Plan for RDMA-based Distributed Key-Value Store

1. Project Structure

• Components:

- 1. Shared map using Shared memory implemented using Boost c++ libraries
- 2. KV Manager with RPC implementations (Server, Client, Handles/Engine)
- 3. RDMA integration for remote communication
- 4. CMake files for building and compiling the project

Directory structure:

- 1. /src: Contains source code files with the components mentioned above
- 2. /include: Includes necessary base class implementations or libraries
- 3. /common: Configuration files, system or any general purpose files
- 4. /build: Used for the executables after compilation using CMake
- 5. /docs: For detailed documentation of the project
- 6. /scripts: Contains scripts used to run the processes

2. Local and Remote Access Implementation

Local Access:

- 1. Implementation of classes that allow clients to access data directly from the shared map.
- 2. Shared memory access should provide efficient read/write operations for the process running on the local node.

• Remote Access:

- 1. Implementation of RDMA procedures with RPC to handle remote access between nodes using KV manager.
- 2. Set up of the necessary RDMA logic and protocols to call relevant server/client operations remotely.
- 3. Ensuring that the system supports seamless remote access with minimal latency using RDMA.

3. Build and Configuration

CMake Setup:

- 1. Using CMakeLists.txt files in respective directories to facilitate the build process.
- 2. CMake for managing build dependencies and ensuring cross-platform compatibility.

4. GitHub Workflow

- Version Control: Maintaining GitHub repository with branching workflows.
 - 1. Main branch: Only stable code is merged here after testing.
 - 2. Feature branches: For experimenting or developing new features.